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The air monitoring assessment group conducted TAGA monitoring at Valero Texas City refinery, Marathon Texas City refinery, and Blanchard Refinery (signage identified the facility as Marathon Galveston Bay Refinery/Google earth identified the facility as MPC Galveston Bay Refinery). TAGA monitoring was also conducted around Dow Chemical Company, directly west of Marathon Galveston Bay Refinery. Neighborhood monitoring was conducted west of Dow Chemical Company, the closest neighborhood to the West of Marathon Galveston Bay Refinery. Neighborhood monitoring was also conducted to the North and North West of Marathon Texas City refinery and Valero Texas City refinery. In the afternoon the TAGA monitored the following facilities: Phillips 66 Sweeny Refinery, Chevron Phillips Sweeny Old Ocean, and ConocoPhillips San Bernard Terminal. No readings of significance were identified.

Plans for tomorrow, 9/18/17, include the deployment of an additional TAGA Team 2 (Gary Newhart/ERT). TAGA Team 1 will be going to the Alpha Branch in Corpus Christi, TX and TAGA Team 2 will be going to the Charlie Branch in Port Arthur, TX. Team 1 plans to conduct TAGA monitoring at Formosa Plastics and Formosa Plastics Marine Terminal in Point Comfort, then monitor INVISTA Victoria in Victoria. TAGA Team 2 will conduct TAGA monitoring at Flint Hills Port Arthur, Total Petrochemicals Port Arthur Refinery, Valero (Premcor) Port Arthur Refinery, Motiva Port Arthur Refinery, Oiltanking - Motiva Port Neches Terminal, Shell Pipeline - Crude Product, and Huntsman Petrochemical Port Neches Facility.

The OSC is working with SMason and TAGA Team 2 to secure a location in Beaumont (Jefferson County EMC). Distribution and reporting may be modified due to command structure change.

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